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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

AAFTAB A. MUNSHI

Application No.: 09/894,225

Filed: June 27, 2001

For: OBJECT VISIBILITY CONTROL
FOR RAY TRACING

Customer No.: 20350

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Examiner: Lance W. Sealey

Technology Center/Art Unit: 2671

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed November 18, 2004 on the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.